

A. G. Gross and family who have been spending a couple of weeks at Galt Lake, returned home on Friday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Conn returned on Friday evening from their honeymoon spent at different places in B.C., and Seattle. They spent the weekend at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. E. T. Williamson, leaving Monday afternoon for Edmonton, where they will make their future home.

The friends of R. C. Bauer of Round Hill were shocked on Wednesday to learn that he had expired suddenly, at his home on Monday. Deceased was formerly a business man in this city some years having conducted general mercantile and lumber business here. The funeral, which was private, took place on Wednesday, the remains being laid away in the family plot in the Wetaskiwin cemetery.

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# The Wetaskiwin Times

WETASKIWIN, ALTA., THURSDAY, AUGUST 7th, 1913

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## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS Edmonton Business Men Here

August 25th will be Civic Holiday—Reports Received—Officials Granted Holidays Shown Around City and are very Enthusiastic Regarding Gas Prospects

A special meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with all the members present except Ald. Ellis and Dudgeon.

After the passing of a motion waiving legal notice of the meeting, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Dr. Stevenson's medical report for the month of July was read and adopted. The general health conditions of the city are good, there being little sickness of a contagious nature during the past month.

The Northwest Drilling Co., wrote asking that their bond be returned, the advertisement was taken as an intimation that their contract was completed, and considerable discussion took place on the gas well question. It was, however, was moved by Wallace Gross—that the bond be returned as requested. Carried.

The auditors' report for the quarter ending June 30th was read, and on motion of Gross-Gothard was received and ordered filed.

The Watrous Engine Works Co. as solicitor for a settlement of the account, and was referred to the finance committee with instructions to make settlement.

The McGowan Caledonian Iron Works also wrote re a small account, and this was referred to the light and water committee.

The report of Chief James for July showed that nine had been arrested or summoned; three horses and two cattle and five dogs had been impounded and that \$11.50 had been turned over to the city treasurer. The report was received and adopted.

Chief James also made application

for a typewriter for use in the office. This was referred to the police, market and license committee, to bring in a report.

A lengthy letter from Heaton's Agency re account for advertising which had been ordered by the Board of Trade was then read, and after a brief discussion, was laid on the table, the clerk requested to make a suitable reply.

Loggie & Manley wrote on behalf of a client in connection with some lots disposed of during the recent tax sale. This client had not seen the advertisement and wished to redeem the property. This cannot be done until the end of this year and a motion was spread on the minutes pledging the council to turn over the property in question after all expenses are paid.

A cheque for \$10 was received from a company carrying the accident insurance on the city employees to cover the time Constable Turner was off duty. As this is only half the salary the council is unable to pay the cheque. It was referred to the police, market and license committee with the solicitor to look into the question and report to the council by the end of the month that the full amount should be paid.

A. Deler wrote asking for a reduction of the license fee for his merry-go-round which he proposed bringing to the city for the fair, if the license was reduced. It was moved by Wallace Gross—that he be referred to the secretary of the agricultural society.

A petition signed by nearly all the business men of the city asking that Monday, August 25th, be proclaimed, civic holiday, was then read. It was moved by Gothard-Gross—that the mayor be requested to proclaim Monday, August 25th, as civic holiday.

The report of the police, market and license committee on the investigation into the complaints laid against Chief James received and adopted.

The report of Mr. Roberts, for two weeks' leave of absence during the 9th inst., was granted. W. M. Beairisto, acting clerk, was authorized to sign all cheques and documents during his absence.

The requests of Constable Turner and W. L. Crane, for a week holiday each, was granted.

The matter of collection of poll taxes then came up for a lengthy discussion, when it was moved by Eugene Gothard—that the chief of police be instructed to proceed with the collection of poll taxes.

The fire and water committee was instructed to bring in a report on the application of the Wetaskiwin Sewer & Mattress Co. for water and sewer connections as well as several other applications that have been made.

Mayor Walker reported that the C.P.R. officials had intimated to him that the gas expert of their company would be available to report on the well here at an early date if his services were required. It was then moved by Gothard-Gross—that the clerk write the C.P.R. Co. asking that the expert be allowed to come to the city at the earliest date to report on the well. Carried.

Meeting then adjourned.

## Town Topics

Miss Dudgeon of Vancouver arrived in the city a few days ago on a visit to her father, Ald. Dudgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lawson of Crediton, Ont., were in the city this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McKitterick.

Ed. Chandler of Lethbridge Herald staff is spending this week under the parental roof, and renewing old acquaintances. Ed. is a graduate of The Times office, and his many friends are glad to learn that he is doing well in the southern city.

At a special sitting of the district court held at the court house on Wednesday forenoon, with His Honor Judge Taylor presiding. The case of Rex up for hearing. Accused was charged with stealing a calf near Walworth on October 29th last. He was in partnership with a man named Betty, who was arrested, convicted, and is now serving a five year term. Rex skipped the country before he could be captured, but he was followed to California, where he was arrested and brought back. He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two years in Edmonton penitentiary. Mr. Dubas, Edmonton, acted for the crown; W. H. Odell, Wetaskiwin, for the crown.

The Edmonton Business Men's Excursion reached here Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock, and the members of the party were met at the station by a number of the citizens. The primary object of the excursion is to assist the business men of Edmonton to become personally acquainted with the persons with whom they are doing business, and to see at first hand the conditions surrounding the various centres.

Referring to the visit here, the Bulletin correspondent says:—

Wetaskiwin has natural gas and every person is talking gas. They are not going to have it piped to Edmonton but are going to try and bring the manufacture from Edmonton to Wetaskiwin. There one will have a pressure of about one hundred and fifty pounds. It is down a depth of fifteen hundred feet and the flow is getting stronger every day. At the present time the waterworks plant is being run by gas. For this purpose they use fifteen pounds pressure so that they have a sufficient surplus of pressure to run every factory in the town.

Owing to the tightness of the money market the council has wisely decided to delay further drilling operations. They are content with what they have now until such time as the money can be raised on a favorable basis, then they will sink other wells and if the flow is sufficient, gas will be used entirely for domestic purposes as well as for manufacturing.

Up to the present time, the municipality has expended some eighteen thousand dollars in boring for gas but they are reaping the benefit in the cheapness with which they can run their municipal waterworks plant.

The visiting Edmonton business men were shown over the gas plant and it was fully demonstrated what a boon gas would be for the capital city. The town is making steady progress and with the success in drilling the outlook for the elevator city is most encouraging. They talk about eight money just as they do in every other place but with an optimistic spirit which means that they are not afraid of the future. They have their gas but they also have good crops in the immediate neighborhood and in the course of a couple weeks harvesting will be in full swing. As if other districts the crop will be on the best in the history of the country.

## Wetaskiwin School Again Leads

All Students in Two Grades Pass Recent Examinations

The results of the recent district examinations, which were held at this week, are only another evidence that the Wetaskiwin high school is the best in the entire province.

In grades XII and XI all the students were successful, and when the figures are available, the teachers feel confident that some of the pupils will be very near the top of the list for the province. Although gas of those who wrote here failed, she can scarcely be considered a Wetaskiwin pupil, as she attended the school only about six weeks, and had not taken up some of the subjects prior to that time.

In grade VIII the two Wetaskiwin schools also made an excellent showing, at twenty-three of the thirty who wrote are in the pass list.

The teachers and pupils are to be congratulated upon the excellent showing made at the examination. As a result of the work done during the past term, no doubt the classes will be more largely advanced during the ensuing term.

Those who were successful were:

**GRADE XII**  
Jessie H. Black  
Eather C. Fehrsen.  
Heuben B. Sandin.  
**GRADE XI**  
Lillian A. Bailey  
Germaine Casey.  
Albert Groves.  
Mary Hagie.  
Alice H. Hanson.  
Harry F. James.  
Nellie James.  
Jean E. Ramsey.  
Ruby Schenars.  
The following are the successful students from the Miss Smiths Grade VIII room who were successful at the recent examination:  
Hurdy Aldridge.  
Thos. Beisheim.  
Tecla Bengtson.

Chester Dauspe left on Saturday evening to spend a few holidays attending the fair and visiting friends at Saskatoon.

A special meeting of the Hospital Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. H. J. Montgomery on Tuesday afternoon next at four o'clock. Every member is urged to be present as business of the utmost importance will be brought up for consideration.

Mozars, Coleman, western superintendent; Uren, assistant superintendent; and Alexander, engineer of the C.P.R., were in the city on Monday for an official visit. They were met by Mayor Walker, who took them around the city in an auto, stopping at the power house. The visitors were surprised at the excellent plant here, and were very much interested in the natural gas. They are watching the development of the well very closely, and wished to be informed of any change in the conditions as soon as they take place.

Levi Chandler.  
Robert Griffiths.  
Clarence Inglis.  
Miss James.  
Clara Keipier.  
Robert Langston.  
Lois Miner.  
Mary McKay.  
May McEachern.  
Brent Roberts.  
Dellah Robinson.  
Bernice Romale.  
Margaret Stanford.  
Margaret Wyld.  
Eva Waterson.  
Kelle Waterson.  
Edward Youngberg.  
Annie Waterson.

Those who have failed will receive their marks in a few days and if they are not too low the Principal may be able to arrange so that they can go on to Grade IX.

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In the matter of the Estate of David Ricker late of the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Court of Probate.  
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of David Ricker, who died on the 11th day of May, 1913, are required to send to the undersigned on or before the 21st day of September, 1913 a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them duly verified by Statutory Declaration, and that after that date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the Estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which have been filed with the undersigned.  
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Pursuant to judgment and final order for sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, with the assistance of A. J. Judge, by George L. Owen, auctioneer, at his office in the City of Wetaskiwin at 2.30 P.M. on Saturday, the 30th day of August, A.D. 1913, the N. W. Quarter of section 12, in Township 46 and Range 28, West of the fourth Meridian, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres of land.

This property is situated twenty (20) miles West of the City of Wetaskiwin, one and a half (1 1/2) miles from a school, and two and a quarter (2 1/4) mile from the Post Office of Wetaskiwin.

There are about nine (9) acres of this quarter under cultivation; about ninety (90) acres are rolling arable land, fenced with a pole fence.

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Addition 8 x 14—frame with sod roof.  
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Stable 14 x 20—built of logs with slab roof.  
Granary 12 x 16—built of logs with shingle roof.  
Shed 10 x 12—built of logs with slab roof.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid which has been fixed by the judge.

The terms of payment are as follows: ten per (10 p.c.) cent to be paid at the time of sale, the balance to be paid into Court within sixty days without interest. In all other respects the terms and conditions are the standing conditions of the Court.

Further particulars can be had from W. H. Odell, of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Solicitor for the Vendor.  
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## SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS IN GRADE VIII EXAMINATION

The following is a list of the successful students who wrote on Grade VIII examination in the Wetaskiwin Centre:

Adam, Katrina; Anderson, Olga; Arndt, Nerva; Aylmer, Percy; Anderson, Gail; Aldridge, Hardy.

Brisco, Irene; Bigsby, Alma E.; Bonser, Warren M.; Bayington, Maud; Bopp, Harry; Brown, Beale; Bernard, Lorna M.; Beattie, K. B.; Barnes, Lulu; Belsham, Thomas; Brecken, Fred; Boldstad, Emily; Balfour, Gordon; Beattie, Jean; Bell, Alfred; Burnside, Willie; Bowen, Nellie; Brooks, Frederick.

Clay, Eva L.; Coffey, Fred; Crew, Violet; Colquhoun, Mildred; Coulson, R. S.; Cox, Howard; Coy, Elmer E.; Carter, Joe; Chandler, Percy; Carson, James J.; Craig, Gwyneth A.; Campbell, Leslie; Cramer, William E.; Cannon, Jean.

Dick, Jessie; Dick, Kenneth; Dick, Wilbert; Dowler, Harold; Dunningson, Mildred; Doyle, Helen; Dickson, Andrew; Dundas, Helen M.; Darr, Beatrice; Doherty, Harrie M.

Emmington, Frances; Ellison, Bertina; Ennis, Etta K. L.; Ebranson, Vito; Eli, S. L.; Edgington, Joe; Ellwood, Blanche; Egon, Ralph.

Fitch, Fay V.; Flood, Anna S.; Fraser, Sterry; Fulcher, Ruby.

Gee, Blanche; Glaspe, Lorne C.; Ginner, Alice; Gieg, Gordon; Girdin, Vada; Goodman, Fay; Gower, Gwendolyn; Gowandry, Enoch M.; Goodman, Stephen; Gun, Lulu; Griffith, Robert.

Hamilton, Myrtle; Hair, Augustus; Hanston, Floyd; Hanson, Carl; Hans, Julius; Hanson, Martha; Hanson, Louise; Hart, Lela May; Harvey, Walter; Hedrich, Victoria; Hooper, Elmer; Houston, Darwin; Houston, Mabel; Heyrathall, Sylvia; Harris, Clifford E.

Ida, Eunice; Inglis, Catherine; Inglis, Margaret; Ingraham, Mabel I.; Isaacson, Nellie.

Jacobson, Christina; Janes, Edith E.; James, Elsie; Johnson, Mima V.; Jonasson, Jonas.

Kain, James I.; Kapler, Clara; Keller, Violet; Kerr, Violet.

Larsen, Loreta; Larkum, Harry; Larson, Robert; Lewis, Cora; Lath, Bettie; Loumes, Jessie; Lonnness, Sigrid I.; Luckham, Elsie; Long, Alison; Lull, Vera; Luther, Irene.

MacDonald, Lella; MacIntyre, Emma; McNall, Jean; McIn, Mary; McIn, Phyllis; Martin, Ed.; McIn, Emma; Wainfield; Matthews, Margaret; McCarthy, Alice; McDonald, Donald; McDonald, John; McDonald, May; McDermott, Bertha; McKelvey, Mary; McKelvey, Glenn; McKelvey, Grace; McKelvey, V. Mae; Miller, Kendall; Miller, Lela; Monson, Edith; Montgomery, Zella; Mulgrave, Bertha; Munro, Marion; Munro, Reta; Mutch, Cicely; Molestead, Harold E.

Nichols, Florence; Nicholson, Faye; Northcott, E. Hazel.

Oates, Mary E.; O'Connor, Mary; Osterlund, Clifford; Osterlund, Ruth; Osterlund, Mayale.

Purson, W. S.; Paulson, Beatrice; Hazel; Paulson, Edna; Paulson, Jean; Potter, Lela C.; Potter, Lela; Mary; Pullyback, Clarence.

Quigs, Roy.

Reay, Jennie; Reilly, Bertha; Reilly, Victor; Reinhold, Annie; Richardson, Gordon; Ringwall, Rodha; Robins, Leslie; Roberts, Ernest; Roberts, Elizabeth; Robinson, Beulah; Ronnie, Gertrude; Ross, Hessel A.

Scherrer, Alice E.; Schmals, Louisa.

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Scotland, William; Scott, Edith M. E.; Scott, Louis; Selness, Walter E.; Sherry, Roscoe P.; Simpson, Douglas; Simms, Robert L.; Sitter, Minerva; Smith, Gerald G.; Smith, Gertrude; Smith, Olive; Sorrenson, Alice; Spers, Victor; Stadel, Margaret; Standa, Ole; Steele, Vera; Stewart, Christina; Strahan, Lilla; Stevens, Ida V.; Stokos, Cecil K.; Strader, Bessie; Strandberg, Emma; Strang, Marg; Marie Ruth; Stadger, Clara; Stritch, Jewel.

Teeling, James; Thorndahl, Harry; Thirk, Vera; Thompson, Thora; Thors, Gerhart; Trammie, Raymond.

Walter, Nellie; Walter, Stata; Ward, Elsie M.; Ward, Edna B.; Watson, Annie; Watson, Edith; Watson, Eva; Watson, Jeanette; Wells, Ernest; Webb, Lillie; Westling, Edna; Florence; White, Annie; Wilgins, Edith; Wilgins, Gladys; Wilson, Moore; De Wilton, Berken; Wild, Margaret.

Young, Jean; Youngberg, Edward.

The following candidates almost completed the examination, doing creditable work, but owing to illness did not present papers in one or two subjects. They are recommended for promotion:

Nicholson, William C.  
Houghton, Harriah.

### COST OF LIVING

An interesting comparison of the trend of the cost of living is afforded by placing the index number as compiled for Canada by the department of labor at Ottawa beside the numbers for the United States. Great Britain and France. On account of the different basis of figuring, it is impossible to compare commodity prices in one country with those in another, but the actual tendency is indicated by rise and fall is even more important than that.

In Canada the index number as of June 30 was considerably above that for the end of last year, and constituted a new high record in history. Meanwhile, in the United States the figure has dropped every month since the end of last year, and the June record is the lowest since March of last year. In Britain the same tendency has been apparent, the June number being the lowest in over a year, and at a considerable decline from the end of last year. In France the cost of living up to April, the latest figure, available, showed a tendency to decrease gradually from the high level reached in January, which was well above that of the previous month.

From this it is quite evident that here in Canada we have been alone in experiencing a continued advance in commodity prices for the year to date. The index in all other countries included in the comparison revealing a steady decrease from month to month.

### GERMAN YOUTH TELLS OF TERRIBLE ACT AT PIERCE

Pierce, a German boy, 17 yrs old, confessed to Superintendent T. A. Wroughton, R.N.W.M.P., Edmonton, Friday morning, that he had shot and killed his companion, Carl Mull, also a German, and only 14 years of age and shot another companion, Fritz Maurer, whose age is not known beyond the fact that he is young, through the face. Pierce is in the Mackled Valley, Alta., where he is in a critical condition.

Rudolph was arrested last evening by a R.N.W.M.P. detective in Edmonton, and when accused of shooting Maurer, which at the time was the only information known. Rudolph attempted to escape, necessitating a chase along one of the principal thoroughfares before he was captured.

This morning he made the voluntary confession to Superintendent Wroughton that not only had he shot Maurer through the face but he had shot Carl Mull dead.

Superintendent Wroughton immediately dispatched two men to Pierce to thoroughly investigate the affair. In his admissions, Rudolph defended himself by saying that he was handling a Browning automatic gun and, not understanding the mechanism properly, the gun exploded with the result he declared, of killing Mull and dangerously wounding Maurer.

He is held in the custody of the R.N.W.M.P. at Edmonton. Rudolph came to this country under the auspices of an employment agency at Stuttgart. He was born at Puerbach, Wurttemberg, where his parents reside and who are supposed to be well-to-do family.

Superintendent Wroughton states that the accused is most apathetic in his demeanor, not seeming to realize in the slightest degree the enormity of his offense. Rudolph cannot speak a word of English.

Pierce is four stations east of Edmonton, situated in township 54, range 14, west of the 5th meridian.—Journal.

Moore Jaw, August 1.—Major Sinclair, V.P., Thursday afternoon gave his decision in the Moore Jaw Breeding company's case. He found the brewery had sold bottles alleged to contain a quart which were three cups short. He imposed a fine of \$5. It is possible the case will be appealed.

### AS SEEN BY AN OUTSIDER

The Toronto Globe's western correspondent, Mr. Norman Lambert, can be depended upon to report to us never without providing the conditions as he finds them in the west. It is the way in which he reports the district of which Wetaskiwin is a part, dated July 25.

The district immediately tributary to Edmonton, extending as far east as Stony Plain, east to Gravelier south of Wetaskiwin, and north and Morinville has never given promise of a more satisfactory crop than this year.

Cuts and barley, which constitute the great proportion of the total crop are splendidly suited, and with continued warm weather will be ready for harvesting about August 14, of which would be a full week earlier than last season.

The land in this district is heavy and rich, and very little manure is needed to assure a heavy yield. What is not grown in large quantities here, but those fields which were seen by our correspondent on July 24, today were remarkably well advanced in the maturity of the crops.

Conditions in this section. The growth of timothy and pasturage is unusually luxuriant; and can see vigorous beef and dairy cattle and hogs grazing in the fields.

### CENT A MILE RATE FOR HARVESTERS FROM CALGARY TO

FARMS IS MADE

To enable as many of the men of Calgary as may be desirous of doing so, to go into the country and help in the harvest soon coming on, the C.P.R. announced yesterday that it will make a one cent a mile rate for harvest hands from Calgary to any point in Alberta for the next 15 days.

The rate becomes effective this morning and runs to the fifteenth of the month inclusive.

Arrangements have been effected by R. J. Daley, provincial publicity agent, upon application to him an order will be issued upon which the ticket agent at the C.P.R. station will sell the special rate tickets at a cent a mile, but no fare will be less than 11.—Albertan.

### REAL ESTATE IS ON THE ROLL

The only thing that we see stronger this year is that real estate is away down below par. It has evidently been overworked, and a rest will do it good. Here is what one of our real estate men has to say:

If he does a small business, the big fish ignores him.

If he does a big business, the little fish get no chance.

If he is poor, he is not worthy of confidence.

If he has made money, he has taken advantage of his clients.

If he is optimistic, he is looking for a commission.

If he is pessimistic, he is not loyal to the town.

If he tells you a piece of property is low, he is lying.

If he tells you it is high, he wants it himself.

If he wants to sell, no one will buy.

If he wants to buy, the owner won't sell.

There is evidently a big slump in all "boom" propositions, and little doing in real estate. It is high time that people put their money into something.

Real estate has had enough booming.—Exchange.

### EVERYTHING POINTS TO A LARGE AND CLASSY DISPLAY AT THE EDMONTON EXHIBITION, THIS MONTH

From the multiplicity of entries in all departments, the exhibition at Edmonton, which opens on the 11th instant, a record breaking show is indicated.

Among the innovations for the races and used for the first time in Edmonton, are the Pari-Mutuel machines, which are to be installed. Manager Stark recently purchased ten of these "Iron Bookies" while in New York City, and an expert from there will be on hand to set them up and operate them during the meet.

High class attractions have been engaged to entertain on the platform in front of the grand stand, which will take the form of a continuous vaudeville performance during each afternoon, while the racing and judging are going on.

One of the most delightful features of the evening after the close of the day's programme, will be a magnificent Military pageant and tattoo, in which the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders' Band of Vancouver will participate, assisted by local military and civic bands. A brilliant display of fireworks will be the closing event of each evening.

Many new and novel features will be seen on the midway. The collection of the grounds will present a very gay and attractive appearance.

Entries in all classes nearly double those of last year.

Entries in all sections almost double those of last year, and in many classes triple last former years.

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Edmonton, Alta., July 31.—It is stated here on good authority that the Alberta legislature will be called together in about six weeks' time. By that time it is probable that Premier Sifton will have something to announce regarding the settlement of the Alberta and Great Waterways matter.

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## PAPER CENSURED FOR MISREPRESENTATION OF LOCAL CONDITIONS

Moore Jaw, Sask., July 31.—The City Council has passed a resolution unanimously condemning a local paper, The Evening Times, for its front page editorial on the financial conditions of the city.

In part, the resolution reads as follows: "That this Council desires to place on record its strong disapproval of the article published recently, owing to its gross misstatements of local conditions, whereby the credit of the city and its business men is impaired, and that this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Trade with the request that support be given this motion with a view to restoring confidence in the city which has been seriously impaired by the publication of the said article."

Moore Jaw, Sask., July 29.—Mayor Pascoe emphatically denies the report published in a local paper announcing that the city's bankers have refused to accept cheques drawn by the city. "Any inaccuracies that have been exaggerated in connection with the city's financial arrangements has been caused by our inability to dispose of the city's debentures," said the Mayor.

The Art display of the Wetaskiwin schools, which won many of the prizes at the Calgary Fair, has been forwarded to Edmonton, and will be seen in competition at the Edmonton Industrial Exhibition.

## The Churches Town Topics

### SALVATION ARMY

Sunday meetings  
7 a. m., Knee drill; 11 a. m., Holiness Meeting; 3 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 8 p. m., Salvation Army Meeting. Subject: "The great Assize." Week night meetings: Monday, Salvation meetings; Tuesday, Bible practice; Wednesday, Soldiers meeting; Thursday, Salvation meeting conducted by the young people; Friday, Holiness meet. Saturday: Free and easy meeting all at 8 p. m. Everybody welcome.

This week's War Cry contains an excellent reproduction of the picture of the natural gas burning at the gas well at Wetaskiwin. As there are thousands of copies of the War Cry issued weekly and these are circulated in all the principal towns and cities of the Dominion it ought to be a good advertisement for the City.

### IMMANUEL CHURCH

Holy Communion Sunday next at 8 a. m.  
Matins 11 a. m.  
Evensong 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m.

Sunday School Trip to Lucas Grove on Friday next August 8th to leave Church at 1 p. m.

Rev. Robert W.W. Alexander.

### EV. LUTHERAN—ZION CONGREGATION

Services next Sunday, Aug. 10, as usual, Rev. Koehnke of Hand Hills preaching.

The Lutheran congregation at Big Lake will celebrate a mission festival next Sunday, the 10th, with special services at 11 A.M. and 2:30 P.M. Rev. Theo. Kohm, of Chicago, Ill., and the local pastor, O. H. Schmidt, are to preach.

On Aug. 17, Zion Congregation will celebrate its mission festival. Rev. A. Rehwinkel, Pincher Creek, and Rev. Geo. Griese, Medicine Hat, will preach at 10:45 A.M. and at 2:30 P.M. A hearty invitation is extended to friends from far and near for the services.

Miss Bennett of Lethbridge, who has been spending part of the vacation with her friend, Miss Moore, in the city, left on Tuesday morning for home.

Richard Palmer, a former Wetaskiwin boy who went to B. C., some years ago, arrived in the city last week, and may possibly take up his residence here. He is a nephew of Chas. H. Olin, M.P.P.

The weather for the past week has been ideal for haying and crops, and if the present conditions continue, this district will garner by far the largest and best crop in its history. No wonder the farmers wear the smile that won't come off.

Two weeks from Saturday the duck shooting season opens. This there will be a large number of floggers. If it were not for the annual visit to the district of so many so-called sports from the city the floggers would be as safe in the close season, as it is not in the code of local sports to shoot a duck that is not flying.

The families of J. H. Robinson, E. A. Williamson and J. A. Ramsey left this week to camp out on the shores of Pigeon Lake, which is destined to become one of the most popular summer resorts in Central Alberta. Jas. F. Billis and family will leave the latter end of the week for the same place. Aid. Billis and family will return Friday or Saturday from their two weeks outing at the lake.

A disastrous fire took place at Bawlf on Friday morning last when an entire block of the business section was consumed. A wire sent to the Wetaskiwin brigade to go out to their assistance, but as there was not an available engine in the yard at the time, the boys could not comply with the request. The fire started in the rear of the printing office, and is supposed to have been caused by lightning. Among the business places entirely destroyed are Gardner's general store, The Bawlf Sun printing office, the post office and telephone exchange, Putnam & Sutherland's real estate office, and K. O. Eggen's realty office. All the mail was saved. We understand the loss was all covered by insurance, with the exception of the stock of Gardner's general store, which was only partially insured.

## DON'T MISS

# Fowler & Co.'s Specials

For Saturday August 9th

## DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

10 Pieces of Dress Muslin in Pink, Blue, Mauve, Green and Fawn shades in fancy floral designs, regular 18 to 25c,

**SATURDAY 15 CENTS**

### CUSHION TOPS

Regular 50c to 75c

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White Shirt Waists

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### WHITE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS

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## EXTRA CROCKERY SPECIAL

We have just received a shipment of 8 only 97 Piece China Dinner Sets. The patterns are perfect in Rose and Forget-Me-Not. Extra value at \$22.50 to \$25.

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### Cream of Oats

Regular 15c  
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### OLD TIMERS' CONCERT

The following is the Program to be given under the auspices of the Wilfing Workers Society of the Presbyterian church at the Bijou Theatre on Friday evening, August 15th.  
Piano Duo—Samantha Allen and Susan Jane Switcheville.  
Chorus—"Old Folks at Home".  
Solo—Jerusha Allen.  
Quartet—"Come where my love lies dreaming", Roxanna Lovesparks, Roxanna Squishbosson, Ebenezer Strikehigh and Ariah Doolittle.  
Recitation—Serophana, Sweetbriar.  
Comic Duo—Marie de Stells Fewclothes and her cousin.  
Solo—Mistress Strabour.  
Male Quartet—Sir Peter Strikehigh, Ariah Doolittle, Reuben Slowcome and Oud Allen.  
Duo—Jerusha Allen and Polly Gay.  
Solo—Roxanna Lovesparks.  
Recitation—Priscilla Thistle-down.  
Duo—Samantha and Jerusha Allen.  
Piano Solo—Mademoiselle Loveday.  
Chorus—"Kentucky Home".  
Solo—Marie de Stells Fewclothes.  
Quartet—"Cousin Jacobiah". The celebrated Allen Family.  
Solo—Artemus T. V. Yousapherit-out.  
Recitation—Serophana, Sweetbriar.  
Duo—Roxanna Lovesparks and Ebenezer Strikehigh.  
Quartet—"Come where the lilies bloom", Marie Fewclothes, Susan Jane Switcheville, The Laird O' Dumbdykes and Ezekiah Shave-clothes.  
Recitation—Priscilla Thistle-down.  
Comic Duo—Marie Fewclothes and Ebenezer Strikehigh.  
Chorus—"Auld Lang Syne".

FOUR RECORDS BROKEN AT EDMONTON GAMES  
Edmonton, Aug. 3.—Four records, three Alberta and one Canadian were broken on Saturday at the annual police games. R. S. Sheppard, Edmonton V.M.C.A., created a Canadian mark when he cleared the bar at five feet in the standing high jump. Sheppard also created a new Alberta record in the 440 yards run, doing the route in 53 flat, 3-4 of a second better than the old mark.  
Two records were made in the weight events by C. Roberts, who will represent Alberta at the Canadian championships in Vancouver. In the sixteen pound hammer event, he threw the weight 124 ft. 10 inches, being 3 inches better than the previous record.

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